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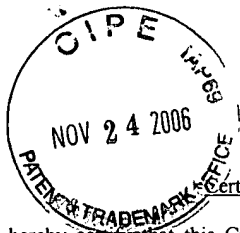
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case, the applicants believe the record as a whole does make the reasons for allowance clear and, therefore, no statement by the USPTO is necessary or warranted.

Respectfully submitted,

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